



**RULES OF THE JUDICIAL  
MERIT SYSTEM  
OF THE SUPERIOR COURT IN  
YUMA COUNTY**



**APPENDIX C**

**SUPERIOR COURT IN YUMA COUNTY**

**ARIZONA CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT FOR JUDICIAL EMPLOYEES**

**PREAMBLE**

A fair and independent court system is essential to the administration of justice. Proper conduct by judicial employees inspires public confidence and trust in the courts. There are certain principles that should govern the conduct of all judicial employees.

This code of conduct provides uniform standards for the conduct of all judicial department officers and employees other than judges. It is intended to complement the Code of Judicial Conduct and governs the conduct of judges and should be interpreted in a manner consistent with that code.

The minimum standards contained in this code do not preclude the adoption of more rigorous standards by law, court order or local rule.

Violations of this code shall be enforced locally and in the same manner as violations of local personnel rules that apply to judicial employees.